IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA

BASF AGRO B.V., ARNHEM (NL), WÄDENSWIL BRANCH, BAYER S.A.S., and MERIAL LIMITED,

Plaintiffs,

v.

CHEMINOVA, INC.,

Defendant.

Civ. Action No. 10-CV-274

MOTION TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL

Defendant Cheminova, Inc. (hereinafter "Cheminova") hereby moves the Court to file under seal Cheminova, Inc.'s Response to Plaintiffs' Objection to Defendant's *Markman* Presentation.

In support of this Motion, Cheminova states as follows:

The parties to this case entered into a Stipulated Protective Order ("the Protective Order") entered by the Court on August 27, 2010. (Docket No. 40.) Paragraph II.B.l of the Protective Order defines "confidential information" as non-public information that involves the personal or privacy interests of individuals under the laws where such individuals reside. Paragraph II.B.2 of the Protective Order defines "highly confidential information" as confidential information whose disclosure would be likely to cause harm to the competitive position of the producing party. Paragraphs VIII.2 and VIII.3 of the

Protective Order states that a party may file documents under seal with the Court if it is necessary to submit confidential or highly confidential material.

Cheminova's Response includes references to deposition testimony and briefs that have been designated as "highly confidential information" under the protective order. Accordingly, Cheminova hereby moves the Court under paragraphs VIII.2 and VIII.3 of the Protective Order to seal Cheminova, Inc.'s Response to Plaintiffs' Objection to Defendant's *Markman* Presentation.

WHEREFORE, Defendants move this Court to file and retain under seal Cheminova, Inc.'s Response to Plaintiffs' Objection to Defendant's *Markman* Presentation.

Respectfully submitted this 12th day of July, 2011.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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